

This note is regarding the NAB petition to exclude XM Instant Traffic and Weather from satellite service. I oppose this petition on the grounds that there is no comparable service on public radio stations. The accessibility of these stations is a convenience that I pay for and do not want the FCC to get involved. I repeat, satellite radio is a private service, and should not be hindered by the FCC. Public stations should improve their service to lure new listeners, not use the government as a patsy to their whims.

Thank you,

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